

Our Week in Review: July 29-August 2, 2019



To the Point Question of the Week

May member bring service dog to social club?

I own a nonprofit 501(c)(7) social club not open to the general public. Can I refuse entry to a member with a service dog? We are a night club and I feel it is not a safe place for the dog seeing the flashing lights and loud music. The member is now threatening to sue us because I won't let him bring the dog. We have deemed him unfit for his actions and words towards us and have banned him from the club and taken his membership. Thoughts?

[Read the Answer](#)

NEW STORY POSTED

Lessons from Litigation

[Initial board has power to act](#) even without annual meetings

AUGUST WEBINAR

Ethical Issues for Nonprofit Lawyers and Executives

Thursday, August 15, 2019
1:30-3:00 PM ET

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**Nonprofit Financial
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New Accounting
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If you can't attend the live event, reserve [your copy of the recorded program](#). If you reserve before August 15, we'll give you a discount.

This program is approved to provide continuing legal and continuing professional education credits for lawyers and accountants in Pennsylvania.

TWEET OF THE WEEK



Nonprofit Issues
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Q: What's the difference between 501(a), 501(c)(3) and 509(a)?
#nonprofit

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5:05 PM - 1 August 2019



SAVE THE DATE

**September Webinar
Lobbying & Electioneering
for Nonprofits**

Tuesday, September 17
1:30-3:00 PM ET

Nonprofits should consider every year an election year. And every session of the Congress, state legislature, or local government offers the possibility of public policy change that can significantly affect the work of nonprofit organizations.

Nonprofit Issues® editor Don Kramer will discuss how charities can lose their federal income tax exemption if they participate in political campaigns at any level. [Learn more](#)